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Germany	DE 40 32 471		04/16/1992
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The above recited references taken alone or in combination are believed neither to anticipate or to render obvious the present application.

Consideration of the reference document during the examination of the present application is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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